

PATENT
Attorney Docket No: PD-200255
Customer No: 20991

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Murty NETI et al.
Application No: 09/741,120
Filed: December 20, 2000
For: RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND BILLING
SYSTEM FOR A BROADBAND SATELLITE
COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

Art Unit: 2145
Examiner: Kainersi, M.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Petition for Extension of time is attached hereto. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
- ☐ An extension for ___ months(s) has already been secured; the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.
- ☒ The fee for claims is calculated below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	<u>CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT</u>	<u>HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR</u>	<u>PRESENT EXTRA</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>ADDITIONAL FEE</u>
TOTAL CLAIMS	20 -	20 =	0 x	\$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 -	2 =	0 x	\$ 200.00 =	\$ 0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			N (Y/N)	\$ 360.00 =	\$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					\$ 0.00

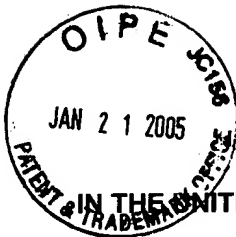
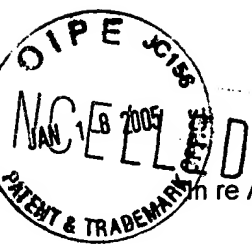
Please charge **\$0.00** to Deposit Account No. **50-0383**. Please charge any additional fees for claims or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0383.

Respectfully submitted,

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed October 22, 2004, please amend the above identified application as follows:

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